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## OFFICIAL PAPER OF DULUTH.

The Ohio legislature will consider a bill providing for execution by electricity.

Eugene Withers, husband and manager of Emma Abbott died, suddenly at Denver Sunday.

Wonder if the Tribune will feel itself "audaciously meddling" when Senator Sabins' election is announced?

A cotton palace is to be erected in New Orleans in which the products of Louisiana will be exhibited during carnival week.

Col. Brice has tendered Gen. Harrison the use of his private car for his trip to Washington. The president elect will not accept the offer.

After many years it has been learned at the state capital that there is such a place as Duluth. Col. C. H. Graves will remind members of the lower house of the fact daily for the next three months.

The Sacramento, Cal., council has inaugurated a war upon the cigarette. It has passed an ordinance making it unlawful for any person under 17 years of age to smoke cigarettes within the corporate limits.

It is reported that Gen. Harrison has said that he would rather have the devil in his cabinet than Blaine. Of course this remark was never made by the president elect. Even if he felt it is too much of a diplomat to utter it.

The very men who have all along declared positively without a single qualifying "but" or "if" that Morgan would be elected speaker are the same men who have been asserting that Washburn's election was certain. They have been proven to be poor prophets.

For the space of 111 years from Jan. 1 we are to have the figure 9 in our years, and the occultists, who put much stress upon numbers, predict that the condition of mankind will be greatly improved over all past times during this period. It is the age of Kal Yuga.

The Minneapolis Star last night declared that Gov. Merriam's appointments would all be made with a view of helping along the candidacy of Washburn. Perhaps this is one reason why the names of Duluth men are not to be found on the governor's slate. There are no Washburn men in the zenith city.

A sensational Duluth correspondent, sending words of the coal heaver, strikes to a Minneapolis paper yesterday said: "More trouble is feared today, and as the men are desperate some lives may be lost. Anyone conversant with the situation knows that there is not the slightest foundation for such a remark."

If the election of Col. C. H. Graves does not mean a victory for Sabins, it does not mean anything so far as the national contest is concerned. It was Gen. Washburn himself who forced the issue into the speakership fight. The defeat of General Washburn will be as much a Duluth victory as was Col. Graves' election.

Gen. Casey and his West Superior advisers may offer all the objections they choose to a tunnel under the canal but it can be built if Duluth has sufficient enterprise to do it. Congress cannot prevent its construction and no one can say that it will interfere with navigation. That it is practicable will be evident to any one who reads the article on the subject in another column of this issue.

The Superior Inter-Ocean is up in Minnesota's politics, and discourses on the senatorial situation as follows:

If Senator Sabins is not the next United States senator from Minnesota it won't be for the reason that he doesn't deserve it. He has weathered his financial storm in a manner worthy of any stout hearted man, and shows the consideration that his kind of courage deserves. Sabins may possibly be what some people in Minnesota allege him to be a wonderfully good natured man; but if he is, he carries with it a big load of "sand." If memory serves right, W. D. Washburn was compelled two or three times in his career to compromise with the creditors, and finally sold out the interests of his city in order to repay a million to a Dutchman from the sale of the Minneapolis & St. Louis.

In the multiplicity of inventions, the ease with which fortunes are made through some happy invention and the abundance of capital waiting for ground-floor investments in "big things," it is the most natural thing in the world that swindlers should sometimes turn this condition of things to their advantage as in the case of the Keely Motor and more recently the Electric Sugar Refining company. Such have been the wonderful inventions that most people are soon ready to believe anything that is told them, especially anything that they can see the result or product of, though not the process, knowing that such things are patentable and never safe to the discoverer until patented. The moral of the Electric Refining company swindle is, not to ignore all future patented discoveries, but to be a little more careful, conservative and moderate in taking stock on the bare assertions and pretensions of persons of destitute of character.

We have a very large selection of opera glasses, silver match sets, book matches, silver mounted whistles, trunks, suitcases, boxes, silk umbrellas, gold headed canes, silver chocolate boxes, tea sets, lemonade sets, nut sets, hand mirrors, etc., etc. The latest styles just received from New York for our holiday trade. Write for them. MONTAGUE & CO., 319 West Superior street, opposite St. Louis hotel.

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## WHY NOT BY A TUNNEL?

Experienced Engineers Claim that a Tunnel Under the Canal is Entirely Practicable.

A Tunnel Would be Beyond the Jurisdiction of Meddling Officials and Senators.

Now that General Casey's interference in the famous Duluth bridge bills has settled those estimable measures for a time at least, other means of getting across the canal and bringing the great stretch of Minnesota point into value must be considered. Of these a tunnel is naturally the first considered, but this method has heretofore been regarded as impracticable by those who have casually examined it because of the great depth in grades to be made under the canal. But facts will show that the scheme of a tunnel is entirely practicable, and can be carried out at a cost not much greater than that of a bridge.

In the first place the canal must be left deep enough for the passage of vessels of 20 feet draft, to make sure of safety to the lake bottom of the canal, or 24 feet below the water surface. From the outside of the roof of the tunnel 18 feet must be added to the rails, three or four feet for the road and fourteen or fifteen for the height of the bridge in section. Thus there would be from water level to the lowest point on the track a descent of 42 feet, which it would be necessary to overcome by grades and cuttings.

The distance from Railroad street to the tunnel to the canal is 2,830 feet. The descent of forty-two feet, and four feet to water level, must then be made in this distance of 2,830 feet. As 1 1/2 feet for each mile is not by any means an insuperable obstacle to the building of a canal, especially on short grades, and as in this instance long trains would be so much inconvenienced by the grades that the difficulties arising from hauling part of the canal would be balanced by another part coming down, this gradient is by no means heavy. It is not so bad as the log grade of the old St. Paul & Duluth line, the junction, and but half as steep as several miles of the Duluth & Iron Range road out of Two Harbors. At the grade would be but little over half a mile in length, and would have but little weight.

Cardinal estimates of the cost of such a tunnel and approaches place its entire cost for damages to property, which would not be great particularly as the tunnel would run near the lake side of the point where the land is not valuable and the open cut at each approach would not be over 1,000 feet in length. A bridge such as such an approach would be less than the tunnel but the damage to property would be greater.

In the case of a bridge the cost of maintenance would be greater, for steam power would of necessity be employed in turning and pushing the draw while in the tunnel the only cost would be that of a small steam pump to clear out what water might seep through the cemented tunnel walls. The increased cost of maintenance of a bridge over a tunnel would nearly make the difference in interest account the difference of first cost of the structures.

Owing to new methods of tunnel construction the loose grade of tunnel construction which is under water would be pushed out and not be a detriment to construction. The most feasible method of getting across the canal would seem to be then, a tunnel, and it is not at all certain that Casey's recommendations, which may be a blessing in disguise, may not prove a blessing in disguise.

## THE COUNCIL.

A REGULAR AND IMPORTANT SESSION OF THE CITY COUNCIL HELD LAST NIGHT.

The council met last night. After the reading of numerous minutes and of a number of recommendations for various matters the council was ordered to order and a number of bills were ordered passed. Among them were the following: Health department \$308,331 police department \$2,016,667, special police \$130, city officers \$1,016,667, street superintendent \$1,217,28, pounder \$180, city engineer \$1,751,72, public works \$328, fire department \$1,270, special committee \$1,270, Wolk & Truxon on Michigan street contract \$9,841,000, John S. 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## STATE LEGISLATURES MEET

An Exciting Time at the Convening of the Legislature of West Virginia.

A Row Over Speakership in Indiana—The Republican House in Illinois.

CHARLESTON, West Va., Jan. 9.—The session of the legislature that opened today promises to be the most remarkable in the history of the state. Aside from the organization of the two houses which in itself will be of great interest as a result of the almost equal division of political strength, there is the contest over the governorship between General Goff and Judge Fleming, and the election of a United States senator. Both will be attended by sharp struggles and to make the outlook the more exciting the Republicans threaten in retaliation for the contest against Goff, to dispute the election of every one of the Democratic state officers. Under the law General Goff is allowed thirty days in which to prepare for the contest at the end of which the taking of evidence will begin. Thenceforth consists of thirteen Republicans, twelve Democrats and one labor representative, "Bob" Case, who has evinced a decided inclination to act with the Democrats. That John E. McKenna will go back for another term against Governor Wilson and one or two others have been named following. It is believed that the discussion and settlement of the election complications will take up the entire session of the legislature.

AN INDIANA ROW.  
INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 9.—About all the members of the legislature are now upon the ground and the probability of a row in the senate is increasing. A good deal of talk, Col. Robertson insists that as the legally elected lieutenant governor of the state will open the session, and the Democratic senators just as emphatically declare that he shall not. The body at its last adjournment did not elect a president pro tem to succeed Green Smith and consequently there is no one to call the session to order unless Robertson fulfills that duty.

ILLINOIS' DEAR GARDEN.  
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 9.—At noon today the 37th general assembly of Illinois was called to order. In the senate there are 35 Republicans and 15 Democrats, while the house is composed of 50 Republicans and 73 Democrats. This afternoon in joint assembly the vote for state officers will be canvassed and published, after which the new incumbents will take the oath of office.

Catholic Marriage Statistics.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—The supposition that Archbishop Corrigan's recent circular to the priests requesting statistics regarding mixed marriages, conversions and departures from the faith, was issued in connection with orders from Rome is confirmed by the official statement that the information is demanded by the Sacred Congregation of the Inquisition. All the bishops of the United States have been instructed to issue similar circulars and to tabulate and return the result not later than the first week in April.

Bottle Blows in Session.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—About all the bottle green tint and window glass manufacturers in the country are represented in the national convention of glass men which opened here this morning. The delegation from the west, a fairly large one, is especially strong. The question of prices and of protection will not be discussed, after which the convention but steps will be considered by which the trade can be strengthened and its interests protected.

Frisco Sports.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 9.—A good deal of betting is being done this morning on the fight which takes place tonight at the Athletic club rooms between George Mulholland, the Australian, and Billy McMahon. It is for \$200 a side and the betting favors the Australian. The two men will be more nearly matched in ability than any other light weights that have fought in this city for a long time.

Bishop Cleary.  
KENOSHA, Wis., Jan. 9.—Nothing is known here concerning the report that Rev. J. M. Cleary, the eminent Catholic temperance advocate, had been appointed bishop of Richmond, Va., to succeed Bishop Kenne. At the priest's house it is said that no confirmation of the report has been received, and that its accuracy was doubted.

Old Men Will Run.  
MASSACHUSETTS, Jan. 9.—A remarkable challenge made recently by A. Cowen of this city to run any man in the United States of his age (79) a forty or eighty rod race for \$100 a side and the betting about to be accepted by John Bolton, former proprietor of the Bolton House, Sheffield, both men are well preserved and the match will be one of the most unique.

Pilots Meet.  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—The sixth annual convention of Pilots opened here today with a large attendance. The attendance is large and a number of important subjects will be considered. Incidentally the mariners of the bay will call on the chief pilot of the nation to present their complaints.

An Oarsman's Challenge.  
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 9.—Jacob Gaudaur, ex-champion oarsman, has issued a challenge to Wm. O. Connor of Toronto, to row a three mile race with a turn for \$1,000 a side and the championship of America, the race to take place either in New Orleans, Galveston or San Francisco on or about March 1.

Remembering Andrew Jackson.  
CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Central Music hall was crowded last night with enthusiastic Democrats who have assembled to do honor to the memory of Andrew Jackson upon the anniversary of his birth. Ex-Mayor Carter, H. Harrison and Judge Moran were the principal speakers.

Murdered by Boys.  
ST. JOSEPH, N. F., Jan. 9.—A most shocking murder has occurred in St. Pierre, where two boys entered a man's house and killed him, mutilating his body horribly.

Montague & Co. jewelers at 319 West Superior st. are acknowledged to be the most reasonable in prices in watches diamonds and fine jewelry.

## NO CAUSE FOR ALARM.

GENERAL FORD DENIES THAT THERE IS DANGER OF IMPROVEMENTS DRAINING THE UPPER LAKES.

A Detroit vessel captain having written to the Detroit Journal alleging that one of the chief causes of the low water in the upper lakes was the widening and deepening of the Linekin crossing in Detroit river and urging that such improvements should be stopped and vessels be made for the lakes, not the lakes for vessels, Gen. O. M. Ford, United States engineer in charge of the lake improvements referred to, comes to the front with the following:

The widening and deepening of the Linekin crossing has no such effect on the lowering of the water in the lakes. If the statement of the correspondent is true, it must follow that Lake Erie would be higher, but the reverse is true. During the last six years Lake Erie has been consistently falling and in the year ending June, 1888, it fell a foot. 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THE DAY IN THE CITY.

T. V. Dwyer & Bro. are moving into their quarters on Superior street.

Twelve real estate transfers are published today, consideration, \$17,062.

The dance of the season will take place in the West End the latter part of this week.

An attempt is being made to induce Florence, the great comedian, to appear in this city.

The district court has adjourned until Monday, and will finish up all jury business next week.

If you want some of the symphony orchestra cases made, call on J. H. Nordby, 627 East Second street.

Minimum temperature this forenoon was eight degrees above zero. The day has been bright and fairly pleasant.

Krejaner, the furrier, purchased several lots in the east part of the city yesterday. He will improve them.

The Union Labor and Democratic tickets in the West End will be consolidated in the approaching municipal election.

Plans for the Duluth government building will be drawn by H. Lindemann, a Chicago architect, who gets \$1,100 for them.

The hearing of the Duluth & Winnipeg road before the railroad commission, in regard to increasing the capital, has been postponed.

At the Car works more show will soon be made inside the buildings than outside, and the fine and complete machinery will soon be arriving.

Architects and builders grow almost daily more encouraged over the prospects for the business of the coming season in their lines of trade.

Fox & Wisdon, lumber manufacturers of Willow river, on the St. Paul & Duluth will soon establish a retail yard in Duluth. They cut a large amount of Norway pine.

People are wondering now that the contract for electric city lighting is let, how the move will be made indicating that lights are to be put in. We can't have light too quick.

The Unitarian society has engaged Odd Fellows' hall for Sunday morning use during the coming six months. Rev. J. H. B. Norton, pastor, will preach there tomorrow at 10:45.

Capt. M. A. Rottum will give a lecture on temperance in K. of L. Hall, West End, on Tuesday next, Wednesday, Jan. 14, West Second street. Mr. Rottum has been in the temperance lecture field for over thirty years.

Richard Barton, of Superior, father of Thomas Barton, of Duluth, and Jas. Barton, of Superior, died yesterday after an illness of some time. Mr. Barton was one of the oldest settlers at the head of the lake and was highly respected.

Bishop Seidenbach of St. Cloud, has tendered his resignation and it has been accepted by the synod. His successor is appointed and qualified, the Catholic diocese of Northern Minnesota will be under the supervision of Archbishop Ireland.

At the election of officers of the trades and labor assembly held last night officers were chosen as follows: President, Tom Overhill, vice-president, Max Stein, secretary John Hersh, treasurer J. H. Baker, trustees J. C. Scanlon, D. S. Blanchard and August Hehn.

At the Bethel C. C. Salter, pastor, the Lead & Hand society will meet at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Stereoscopic lectures at 7:30 a. m. subject, "The Heavenly Kingdom of God." At 7:30 p. m. song service this Saturday evening at 7:30 p. m.

NEWSPAPER NOTES.

The long distance telephone between Boston and Chicago has been nicknamed "Port and Beans."

A bronze statue of heroic size is to be placed over the grave of Stonewall Jackson at Lexington, Va.

A full-grown negro testified in a rich Irish brogue before a Brooklyn court the other day. He was born in Ireland.

A large of tramps captured at Ventura, Cal., had in their possession over 200 keys of different patterns and no end of clothing.

A Cincinco paper in trying to refer to "the late lamented" gets it; "The late lieutenant," and what makes it worse is the fact that it was a woman.

A surprising fact never before approached was lately performed on the Clyde. A 5,000-ton steamer for the German line to New York was launched, which had been built in less than four months.

The new cruiser Chicago is to have a costly service of silver, to be used when distinguished guests are entertained on board. It is to be a gift from the people of Chicago, who at first thought of giving a Vermont colony.

One Collins' death, which occurred lately in Vermont County, Mo., is said to have been the result of a voluntary fast of forty-two days. He was a victim of Bright's disease, and looked "forward" to death as a relief from great suffering.

A freak has been born in Macine County, Mich., in the shape of a girl baby who has two heads—one of the regulation kind on its shoulders, and the other without ears, eyes, nose or mouth, on its back. The baby is apparently intelligent and healthy.

There is a decided movement in West Virginia in favor of changing the name of that State. Its promoters say that every State should have a distinct name of its own, so far removed from the name of any other State that no confusion of names can arise. West Virginia is so near the Virginia that the people do not enjoy it. Curiously enough, they all agree that "Kanawha" is the name for the State.

JAMES A. STEWART, the newly elected mayor of Griffin, Ga., is one of the youngest mayors on record, his twenty-second birthday having been celebrated in August last. He is the son of Congressman J. D. Stewart, who was greatly surprised when he heard of his boy's election. Young Stewart entered the campaign but one day before the election, and received thirty-nine majority over one of the most solid citizens of Griffin.

A PERSIAN cat was able to spread scarlet fever among a large community of children in Chicago. This animal had been given by a sick child, and in its visits to several neighbors' houses it carried the disease with it. Nothing is more natural than that its fur should harbor particles from the patient, and nothing more likely than that these should be wafted through the air every time its fur was stroked.

An old male ostrich escaped from the farm at Red Bluff, Cal., and started at lightning speed for the Sacramento river, which he swam, and disappeared in the brush on the opposite shore. After putting in two or three hours roaming around in the undergrowth, he swam the river again and was finally captured seventy miles from where he started, and evidently as fresh as ever, notwithstanding his two baths and little jaunt.

INVITATIONS have been issued to the maritime nations to send delegates to attend an International Maritime conference to meet in Washington on April 17, 1899. The objects of the conference will be to revise the regulations concerning vessels at sea, to adopt a uniform system of signals to indicate the direction in which vessels are moving in fog, snow, or thick weather, and at night to convey warnings of approaching storms and other important information, and to formulate regulations for the prevention of collisions. The importance of the subject is so great it is hoped there will be a full attendance of delegates.

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MRS. JOHN TYLER.

SHE TELLS THE ROMANTIC STORY OF HER MARRIAGE.

Her First Acquaintance with President Tyler—A Rejected Proposal—Her Father's Tragic Death—A Terrible Blow—A Quiet Wedding.

"Would you tell me how you met President Tyler?"

"Well, to begin at the first, I was born on Gardner's island, three miles from land. I was a descendant of the first white child born of British parents in the state of New York, and the child of the first white child born in Connecticut. My name, as you know, was Julia Gardner—with an 'i'."

"Gardner without an 'i' is like Thompson without a 'p'. There I grew up until my schooling was finished, and then my father took my sister and me to Europe, for the finishing touches, as it were. While we were in Paris we heard of the death of President Harrison, and we American girls all were rapt with excitement in mourning for a long time. President Tyler we knew was the successor, and I had a little canary which I brought back with me, that I called 'Johnny Ty' in honor of the president, John Tyler."

"Did you not know him then?"

"No. But on our return my father took my sister and me to Washington that we might have the benefit of the society there. We met the president and became great friends, but I never thought of loving him. I was only yet 20 and he was easily 35 years older than I, but I thought him very nice and I was very gay and frivolous and of course was flattered by his friendship."

"How did he propose to you?"

"You will think me very foolish when I tell you about it," Mrs. Tyler said, her gray beaming at the recollection. "I often think now how frivolous I was then. There was a grand reception held in the White House on Washington's birthday. All people of note were there and it was very brilliant. I had been dancing with a young man who was not pleased with the attentions the president had been paying me. We had just stopped and were walking about when the president came on, and drawing my arm through his, said to the young man: 'I must claim Miss Gardner's company for awhile.' The young man drew off and looked as if he would like to say, 'Well, you are impudent,' but he didn't. I walked around with the president and proposed then. I had never thought of love, so I said: 'No, no, no,' and shook my head with each word, which flung the tassel of my Greek cape into his face at every move. It was undignified, but it amused me very much to see his expression as he tried to make love to me and the tassel brushed his face. I did not tell my father. I was his pet, yet I feared he would blame me for allowing the president to reach the proposing point, so I did not speak of it to anyone."

"How were you dressed the night the president proposed?"

"I wore a white tulle. It was very pretty and very becoming. On my head I wore a crimson Greek cap. I was very gay and young and I never would have dared to toss the tassel in a president's face. On the 28th of February Commodore Stevenson gave a party on the Potomac. Everybody was there and we had a lovely time. I told my father when we started that I was in love with me all the time, but I did not tell him that it was to keep the president away. I was with my father and the young man who I told you was jealous of the president, when a gentleman came to me and said, 'Miss Gardner, the president wishes to take you to the collation which is just served.' I suppose I will have to obey orders, I replied with a laugh, and asking my father to follow me, I started down. Just then the wind caught my veil and blew it up. Father caught it with his cane and brought it down, saying, 'Take care of your streamer.' They were almost the last words I ever heard him speak."

"When we got down the table the president stood me at the head of the table with him and he handed me a glass of champagne. Father was standing just back of my chair, so I handed the glass over my shoulder, saying, 'Here, pa.' He did not take it, but he said: 'My time will soon come.' He meant his time to be served, but the words have always seemed prophetic to me. The next day some one called down for the president to come and see the last shot fired, but he said he would not go, as he was better engaged. My father started with some other gentlemen, and I turned to the young man who had followed me down. He whispered to me and asked me to marry him, and when I said more noes to him than I had to the president he said he feared that I was ambitious. Just then we heard the shot and the smoke began to come down the companionship. Some thing must be wrong, I said to the young man, and he started up to see. He got to the door and he turned around and gave me a look of horror that I shall never forget it. That moment I heard some one say 'The secretary of state is dead.' I was frightened and I tried to get up stairs. 'Something has happened. Let me go to my father,' I cried, but they kept me back. Some one told me that there had been an accident, the gun had exploded, but that there was no crowd that it would do no good for me to try to get there. I cried that my father was there and I must leave his fate. I was told then that he was wounded. That drove me frantic. I begged them to let me go to help him; that he loved me and he would want me to be near him. One lady, seeing my agony, said: 'My dear child, you can do no good. Your father is in heaven.'"

HOW PRESIDENT TYLER PROPOSED.

"Yes," Mrs. Tyler continued, "he had been killed. There were five killed, among whom were the secretaries of the navy and state. I fainted and did not revive until some one was carrying me off the boat, and then I struggled so that I almost knocked out both of the gang plank. I did not know at the time, but I learned afterwards that it was the president whose life I almost consigned to the water. All the five who were killed were buried from the White House in the congressional cemetery. I remained at the White House until after the funeral, and then I returned to our city home, No. 4 Lafayette place, New York. The president and I corresponded then and he paid me many nice little attentions. After I lost my father I felt differently towards the president. I seemed to fill the place and be more agreeable in every way than my younger sister ever was or could be. He composed a very pretty song about me then—'Sweet Lady Awaits'—and he has proposed again and I wrote him I was willing this time, if my mother would consent. She told him that she would never consent my to marriage, but if I was determined she would not object."

"I was in deep mourning. So the president told only one member of his family, John Tyler, and I told my mother and my sister. We were married very quietly on the 28th of June, 1844, in the Church of the Assumption in New York. I was dressed in pure white lace, with a veil of the same which was held up by two diamonds of the size of orange blossoms, but no jewelry—'Nelly Bly's' interview in New York World."

Trollope published forty-five three volume novels in all, and he received in hard cash for them the sum of \$70,000, something like \$250,000.

A census of Arizona shows a population of 83,000. The aggregate value of taxable property in the territory is estimated at \$75,000,000.

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Final Assessment.

Fourth Street.

OFFICE OF BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS, DULUTH, MINN., JAN. 4, 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A contract has been completed for grading and otherwise improving Fourth street in the city of Duluth, in the state of Minnesota, from Fourteenth avenue west to Macine street; and that the Board of Public Works said city will meet at their office on Friday the 12th day of January, A. D. 1899, to make an assessment of the sum of eight hundred and seventy-six dollars and ninety-four cents upon the real estate benefited by such grading and other improvements for the purpose of raising money to in full pay the expense of said improvement. All the lots and parcels of land within 100 feet of the north and south sides of said Fourth street between Fourteenth avenue west and Macine street are assessed and will be assessed unless shown to the contrary by a petition filed with the Board of Public Works on or before the 12th day of January, A. 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STATES IN POLITICS.

Inauguration Ceremonies are Being Held in Several of the Western States Today.

Arkansas Legislature in Session—Bayer to be Nominated for Certain Defeat.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 14.—General Alvin P. Hovey and Rev. Ira J. Chase were inaugurated governor and lieutenant governor at noon today. The capitol was crowded although admission was by ticket and hundreds were unable to obtain admission. Governor Hovey's message to the legislature was a lengthy document. Tonight's first inaugural ball in the history of the state will take place at Tomlinson's hall, and from the preparations made it is expected that it will rival any similar affair ever given in the west. Five thousand invitations have been accepted. Governor Hovey with his daughter, Mrs. Moniz, will lead the march. Neither General or Mrs. Harrison will grace the affair with their presence. Prior to the ball the state officers will hold a grand reception at the capitol which the president elect and his wife have promised to attend. They will be met at the entrance to the capitol by a special committee and escorted to the Governor's parlors. General Hovey will be assisted by his son Charles also by Mr. and Mrs. Menzies and Miss Laura Reine, IN ILLINOIS.

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 14.—Uncle Dick O'Leary, retired from the gubernatorial chair today and "Farmer" Joseph Eiler became his successor. The hall of the house of representatives in which the inauguration ceremonies took place was handsomely decorated and there was an abundance of music. The state officers elect marched in a body from the hotel to the capitol with a large escort. Adjutant General Vance acting as chief marshal.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Jan. 14.—The twenty-eighth session of the Arkansas legislature convened today. It will be a remarkably busy one, a large number of important bills having already been framed. Some relate to a revision of the election laws, others to railroad regulations and a new railroad law. The proposition to restrict property or educational qualifications is well solid. The legislature will elect United States Senator Berry as its own successor, and will inaugurate Governor Eiler and elect his officers.

DOVER, Jan. 14.—Tonight the Democratic members of the legislature will caucus for a senatorial candidate, and their choice will probably fall upon Senator Bayard. As, however, wonderful to relate, the state of the blue hen and chickens will this year and a Republican United States senator, the honor will be an empty one.

IN MISSOURI.

JAMESON, Mo., Jan. 14.—Er. Mayor David R. Francis, of St. Louis, was inaugurated governor of Missouri today in the senate chamber in the presence of an immense audience. Report has it that through the influence of mutual friends, cordial relations have been re-established between the new governor and retiring Governor Morehouse, who have been at daggers point for some time.

WHO WILL THEY BE.

Speculation as to the Probable Officials of the New Combination.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—A local paper says: The question as to who are to be chairman and two vice chairmen of the new Interstate Commerce Railroad association, being freely discussed in railroad circles here. It is believed a majority of western managers have fixed upon Mr. C. C. Wheeler, late assistant general manager of the Chicago & Northwestern road and a few years ago general manager of the Atchafalaya, Topeka & Santa Fe system, for chairman. For vice chairman of the freight department the choice is thought to lie between Chairman Midway of the South Western Railroad association and Chairman Fairborn of the Western and Northwestern, with chance in favor of the latter. For vice chairman of the passenger department, Chairman Abbott of the Western States association and Vice Chairman Daniels of the Central Traffic association are mentioned. President Marvin Hight of the Chicago & Northwestern will, it is believed, be elected chairman of the board of managers.

The Indianapolis Grand Jury.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 14.—The federal grand jury reassembled today and again the air is full of rumors concerning its probable action in regard to the alleged election frauds. According to one source the bottom has dropped out of the Dudley investigation, while in other quarters it is said that a raft of small indictments now affecting any person of prominence have been prepared. The only thing certain is that the body accumulated a mass of evidence during its December sessions. What it will do is not known.

Daily to Manage.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—A leading theatrical paper says today that a flattering offer has been made by the management of one of the largest theatres in the metropolis to Mr. W. D. M. of New York, to assume the stage management of the house in question for a term of years. This is the first time on record that an English theatre owner has looked across the Atlantic for an occupant of this important position. Mr. Daly, who is one of the best known stage managers in the United States, and familiarly known as "The Dean of the Guild," is this season managing the "Crystal Palace" company.

Mrs. Gould's Funeral.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The arrangements for the funeral of Mrs. Jay Gould will be completed today, everything will be done in the simplest manner.

Parker's Oyster House.

On and after New Year we will close at midnight. We wish our friends to get their oysters before that time.

Don't forget the change in time of departure of morning trains over the "Omaha line," on and after Sunday Dec. 9th. Day train will leave at 10:30 a. m.

A masquerade ball will be given at Eve hall Friday evening, Jan. 15th.

Montague & Co. jewelers at 319 West Superior st. are acknowledged to be the most reasonable in prices in watches diamonds and fine jewelry.

HORRIBLE SUICIDE.

A Demented Woman Sets Her Clothing on Fire and Dies in Great Agony.

PARIS, Texas, Jan. 14.—Mrs. Clemmie Cox, a demented woman, locked herself in her room Saturday night and saturating her clothes with kerosene, set them on fire. Every vestige of them was burned off and she died in great agony in a few hours. She had a husband and four children in Knoxville, Tenn. She had recently been released from the state lunatic asylum, under the impression that she had recovered.

ANOTHER FATAL COLLISION.

A Passenger Train on the New York Pennsylvania & Ohio Collides With a Freight.

Eight Persons Killed and Six Others Wounded Because of a Flagman's Hearing.

CLEVELAND, O., Jan. 14.—Passenger train No. 8, east bound on the New York Pennsylvania & Ohio railroad collided with a freight train near Kent, Ohio, this morning. Eight people are reported killed and six injured.

FURTHER PARTICULARS.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 14.—The particulars of the accident on the New York Pennsylvania & Ohio road, near Kent, Ohio, as far as known at the general office in this city, are that the third section of freight train No. 31 broke in two between Kent and Tallmadge. The front end of the freight was put on a side track, and a tugman went off to Tallmadge to flag passenger train No. 8 east bound, and then nearly due. The flagman happened to be a white signal from his engine to return to the train and did not perform the duty required of him. The engine came together with fatal results to eight persons and injuries to six others. Those reported killed are: engineer, Hamilton, Bremen Walters, brakeman, Bosford, express messenger, Landy, Mary Lyon, a little six year old girl, of Cherry Creek, N. Y. and three Chinamen. The names of the injured are not yet learned.

A Barbarous Duel.

MONTREAL, Canada, Jan. 13.—A special received here gives the particulars of a bloodthirsty and barbarous duel fought near Louisville. Two young men, named Charpentier and Frechette, were aspirants for the land of the mil and the sun, and they were not long in finding a pretext for a quarrel, which came to a tragic ending. They were armed with pistols and a cold-blooded manner arranged between themselves to settle the matter by a duel. The conditions of which were unique and barbarous. Seconds were dispensed with, and both men were to go to a certain point on the river bank at a given hour and then fight with any weapon which came to hand, firearms and knives excepted, until one of them was killed or made incapable. When the survivor was to throw the body into the river. The men kept the appointment, and the battle lasted about ten minutes, both men using their fists as well as their pistols. Charpentier's skull was crushed in by a blow from an iron bar which Frechette picked up. The final condition, throwing the body into the river was not complied with, the victor driving off in his wagon. He has been heard of since, and it is supposed that he has escaped to Chicago. The body of the slain man was cut off his right arm, as the telegraph wires were rendered useless by the storm. Charpentier was found by the doctor and the doctor said he cannot live. Mr. Chime, the owner of the quarrel, has been out of his mind since the tragedy happened.

The King Was Here.

BREITENBURG, Jan. 14.—What may prove to be an important occasion was the landing of the King of Prussia at the city of Breitenburg today. It will be asked to increase the King's civil list five million marks or from 10,000,000 to 15,000,000. This is in addition to the donation from the Reichstag which Prince Bismarck will personally announce. There is no doubt but that the increase will be readily granted, in fact the court papers contend that more should be asked for. Herr Von Kretschmer, vice president of the Prussian ministry will have charge of the measure.

Fence for Germany.

BERLIN, Jan. 14.—The landtag opened today. The emperor in his speech, opening the session, declared that all foreign relations of the country were friendly. He said that during his recent visit to Michigan sovereigns he gained the conviction that Germany might confidently cherish hopes of peace.

Open every afternoon and evening, Lake Avenue Skating Rink.

Accused by Misapprehending Funds.

JOHN C. BOHEN, who has for some time been engaged as an insurance solicitor for W. C. Sherwood, was arrested last night by Officer Benson as he stepped off from the St. Paul & Duluth train at the Union depot. He has been charged with misappropriation of funds. He has paid Bohen a premium on an insurance policy amounting to \$150.

Attended Lake Avenue Skating Rink.

Brookdale Division is The Best Residence Property in Duluth, Because

1st. Its central location.  
2nd. Park on both sides.  
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THE ADVENTURES OF A BOY.

Captured By Cannibals and Fattened For a Choice Banquet to be Indulged by Natives.

He Escapes Five Times and is Now En Route Home After Encircling the Globe.

WARREN, Ind., Jan. 14.—Henry M. Strohm, son of Abraham Strohm, now in Paris, who was last year captured and held a prisoner by cannibals on the island of Gau, one of the south sea islands, finally making his escape, has been heard from. The young man is now on his way home and when he reaches this section he will have completed the circuit of the globe. Young Strohm was captured several times by natives during his long voyage. He left home March 2, 1887 to see the world. He did not run away; but the consent of his parents was given reluctantly. The boy was only 16 years old. He was taken to San Francisco where he shipped out on a whaler bound for the Arctic ocean. Young Strohm did not find ocean life all that his fancy had painted. He was subjected to very rough treatment, and he rebelled. When the vessel put in at the island of Gau Strohm watched his opportunity and he escaped. He was captured by the natives and a vigorous search but the fugitive was not discovered and the vessel went on her way leaving Strohm among the savages and five thousand miles from San Francisco. He was captured several times by natives who designed fattening him for a choice banquet, but in each case he managed to escape to the settlements. Six months later a vessel arrived at the island, on which Strohm was taken, and he was rescued. He was taken to Manila where he was cared for by the United States navy. He was taken to Hong Kong from there Strohm continued his journey and landed at Sydney, Australia, where October 18, he shipped before the mast on a vessel bound for London. The boat is due in London next month and the young man is expected home soon after. His journey, considering his youth and inexperienced, is one of the most remarkable on record.

Paupers Celebrate.

COLUMBIAN, Mich., Jan. 14.—It is a hundred years today since May Day, June, an inmate of the county poorhouse first saw the light, and the inmate will celebrate it with a banquet tonight. Her husband died in the institution two years ago, and of the issue of her five marriages not one child remains to cheer her declining years.

Pope Leo's Gifts.

ROME, Jan. 14.—The gifts recently presented by the Pope to Irish churches are valued at \$50,000. Among the gifts is a stole which was worn by the Pope on the occasion of the services in celebration of his jubilee.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—Indications for twenty-four hours: Minnesota, generally fair, slightly warmer weather. Dakota, light snow except in northeast; portion fair slightly cold wind.

The Stalwarts, or Who Were to Blame?

A political and historical novel, embracing fifty years of United States history, showing those complications which have culminated in the assassination of two good presidents, by the only sister of Charles J. Folger, of New York, history, to the public by Dr. W. W. Gooding, superintendent of the government asylum for the insane, Washington, D. C. Author, Dr. Doolittle, Judge Thomas A. Moran and Charles E. Wells, Fernandez Jones, Gen. S. J. Whitlock, Basil Samuel, Fallowell, Rev. H. W. Thomas, D. D., and also Prof. A. A. Woodbridge, of the University of Chicago. Price \$2.00. Address: Frances Marie Norton, author and publisher, 1200 Washburn avenue, Chicago.

Excursion Tickets South.

"The North Western Line," Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad, will sell tickets to many of the principal points in the south at greatly reduced rates on following dates:

December 18th, January 15th and 20th; February 12th and 20th, and March 12th and 20th. Tickets will be good to return within 60 days from date of sale, arriving on top over at points south of Ohio river. Call at city depot office of "The North Western Line."

General Agent.

Don't Believe in Crocodile Tears.

Fargo Argus: The Duluth Herald does not believe in the crocodile tears of sympathy that the twin city newspapers express for the manifest injustice done to Duluth in giving representation to the legislature. No it is not possible to dump the earth between the two it is a question whether they would not be better off if they were not. Kilkenny fight however might result, for it is seldom now, that they are not busy engaged in tearing each other to pieces.

Fancy Dress Carnival.

At Lake Avenue Rink Thursday evening.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Joe Wolf, of Wolf & Traut, returned from a long visit at Niles, Michigan.

Money to Loan.

We have money to loan on realty at a reasonable rate and in amounts to suit borrower.

RENTS AND TAXES.

A feature of our business is attending to the business of non residents, rents collected and taxes paid.

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Money Loaned, 31 W. Superior street. Money loaned on all kinds of value. Large stock of watches and diamonds for sale cheap.

Montague the Jeweler will sell you watches, diamonds and fine jewelry at prices that are worth investigating. He keeps nothing but the very best of goods. Give him a call.

319 W. Superior st.

RESIST EVICTION.

Irish Tenants Kept in a Lively Manner And Make Things Warm.

DUBLIN, Jan. 12.—A party of officers engaged in evicting a tenant from his holding upon the estate of Lord Lurgan at Lurgan, county Antrim, today met with vigorous resistance, inmates of the house assailing them with boiling water, stones, pitch forks, etc. The landlord was stabbed, Lord Lurgan's agent and policeman were seriously injured and finally the riot act was read when a number of arrests were made.

A VENGEFUL COOK.

A Michigan Lumber Cook Poisons a Crew of Twenty-five Men.

Bay City, Mich., Jan. 12.—A woodsman from the lumber camp of Thurler & Mahes, in the vicinity of Saginaw, has reached this city with a curious story. He says there were twenty-five men at work in the camp, and becoming disgusted with the food served, they made a united kick against the cook. The latter acted ugly, and plainly showed that he here the men no good will. One after another of the men was taken ill, and soon there was not a man who was able to leave camp. The bearer of this story says there was not the slightest doubt in the minds of the men but that the revengeful cook put some unknown drug into their food.

THE UNEMPLOYED.

London's Unemployed Fined the Iron Gates Closed Against Them on the Occasion of a Demonstration.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—The unemployed workmen of London propose to march to the Royal Exchange this afternoon and hold a demonstration there. It is probable, however, that the demonstration will prove a failure, as the weather is stormy. Nevertheless, the iron gates of the Exchange are closed, and a large number of constables are stationed in the building in readiness to suppress any disorder that may take place.

Destroyed by Fire.

DUBUQUE, Iowa, Jan. 12.—The Argyle house, a large four story building, once the leading hotel between Freeport and Dubuque, was destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. It had not been utilized as a hotel for several years, but lately has been used for a buggy-ho factory by Fockler Bros., to whom it was presented by the city of East Dubuque on condition that they should constantly employ not less than fifty hands. Fockler Bros. gave a bond of \$5,000 to do this, but forfeited the same and suit was brought against them by the city yesterday to recover the amount of \$5,000. This is the third time the Fockler Bros. have been burned out, each time under peculiar circumstances. The fire broke out at about 10 o'clock, and the building was completely destroyed. The loss is \$20,000. Insurance less \$7,000.

The Snow a Godsend.

MCKEON, Jan. 12.—Last night's snow has put our lumbermen a happy frame of mind. Advice from the Houghton Lake and Roscommon regions state that several feet of snow have fallen and that logs are being hauled on sleds from some of the regular routes.

For Commissioner.

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Jan. 12.—Hon. Isaac N. Phillips, of this city, is an applicant for the position of commissioner of the Illinois railway and warehouse commissioner. He has been the law partner of Mr. Eiler for fifteen years, and is master in chancery under Judge Reeves, and treasurer of the Soldiers' Orphans' home. Mr. B. E. Funk, of this city, another intimate friend of the governor, is also a candidate for the same position.

Schnack Don't Get It.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Attorney Walker, in behalf of Capt. Schnack, appeared before Judge Shepard this morning and asked for a writ of habeas corpus for the arrest of J. J. West, publisher of the Times. Judge Shepard declined to issue the writ. This action on the part of Schnack grows out of the fight which the Times is making against him and Inspector Bonfield.

The Oklahoma Measure.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Gen. Weaver stated this afternoon to an associated press reporter that arrangements had been made with gentlemen influential in control of the business of the house which is satisfactory to the friends of the Oklahoma bill and will doubtless secure, and early vote upon that measure.

The King is Sick.

THE HAGUE, Jan. 12.—The King of the Netherlands has suffered a relapse, and is now considered in a dangerous condition.

ON CHANGE.

THE DULUTH AND LAC DU PUEUX ON THE BOARD OF TRADE.

A quiet week's business closed here this noon with a lower but fairly active wheat market. As usual, business was principally for May delivery, with cash wheat and the other futures inactive and neglected. The market opened late, and after the sharp decline of the day had been built up. Prices started at 1/2 from yesterday's close, under moderate business, a further decline of 1/2 per bushel occurred before noon. The last hour the market moved steadily and firm at the decline. The close was easy, with sellers at 1/2 below the opening.

CURR NOTES.

The North west would much wheat in the Chicago market yesterday.

A comparison with last Saturday's closing quotations show a decline of 1/2 on cash wheat, 1/2 on January wheat, and 1/2 on May wheat. No sales, closed nominally at 12 1/2.

Receipts to day are 16,010 bushels wheat, shipments 551 bushels. This is against receipts of 5,413 bushels and shipments of 61 bushels same day last year. Cars on track this morning were fourteen.

OUR RICH COUNTRY.

An Increase of a Hundred Million in the Value of Three Great Cereals.

The December Report of the Department of Agriculture Gives Interesting Facts.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—The December report of the department of agriculture makes the product of corn 1,387,790,000 bushels grown on 75,672,763 acres and valued on farms at \$677,561,580 or 34 1/2 cents per bushel, against 44 1/4 for the crop of 1887, a decrease of 23 per cent, the product of 1887 being 27 per cent less in volume than that of 1888. The aggregate for oats is 707,737,000 bushels grown on 42,240,240. This is 27.8 cents per bushel, against 30 cents for the crop of 1887. A comparison of aggregate values shows that the present corn crop is worth only about \$11,000,000 more than the previous one; wheat, \$74,000,000 more and oats \$5,000,000 less, a total increase in value of \$100,000,000.

AN EXPRESS WAR.

A LIVELY RATE WAR IN PROGRESS BETWEEN EXPRESS COMPANIES.

There does not seem to be any immediate prospect of a cessation of the rate war in express freight between Duluth and the east. Rates are now down to about half the regular tariffs to all eastern points and all the three companies are still negotiating for business at almost any price that will bring it. The war is caused, as has been before stated, by the advent of the Adams' rate to the new northwest territory. It was inaugurated by the American company, joined at once by the United States which left the competition of the Adams' rate severely. Of course the Adams has not cut and propose to do so as it has come to Duluth and the northwest for business and intends to get it. There is no prospect of a rate in rates east, and in the mean time the people are glorying in low charges to all eastern points, it is much to be regretted that the war was not inaugurated before the Christmas trade stopped.

W. N. Draper has returned from St. Paul.

H. P. Huskell, of the Duluth & Winnipeg road, is in Duluth today.

Frank Wiles, of Foster & Wiles, leading Boston floor merchants, is in the city.

E. L. Nicol, of St. Clair, arrived in Duluth last night and will remain here with his father, F. J. Nicol.

Hon. George P. Wilson, ex-attorney general of Minnesota was in the city last evening.

He left for St. Paul this afternoon.

Mike Conley, who was knocked out so easily in California by McMillen, will referee the McMillen-Carroll fight here next week.

Jan. Dright, son of ex-congressman Dright, of New York, is in the city. He is the owner of the noted Dright farms near Waiparua, Dakota.

An Interesting Scene.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 12.—John Keyser was standing at the altar with Miss Nellie Williams, a pretty girl of 16 at Papillion, on Monday, and they were about to be made man and wife, when a woman claiming to be Mrs. Keyser entered and denounced him as a villain.

Miss Williams shrieked and fainted. The prospective groom fled and Papa Williams started after his shotgun. Williams owns a large farm near Papillion, and is quite wealthy. Keyser is young and rather good looking. He secured employment on Williams farm some time ago, and at once laid siege to the heart of Williams' pretty daughter, Nellie, with the result above indicated. From Mrs. Keyser it was learned that she is a native of Nebraska, and that she came to Omaha, finally to Papillion, a village about eight miles from here, where she arrived just in time to prevent the marriage. The present whereabouts of Keyser are unknown.

An Appointment.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Gen. Paul Van Dervoort, late commander in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, of Omaha, Nebraska, has been appointed assistant secretary of the National Republican committee.

Money can be made by buying lots in Second division of C. E. Lovett & Co.

If you are looking for bargains in real estate we have them on First street.

MENDELHALL & HOOPER.

Notice.

The regular monthly meeting of the Young Men's Republican club of Duluth will convene at the Municipal court room at 7:30 p. m. on Monday, January 14th, 1899. A full attendance is particularly requested, as steps will be taken looking to the permanent reorganization of the club, which will necessitate the election of officers.

PAGE MORRIS, President.

Acres Acres Acres.

Call and examine our lists of acre property. MENDELHALL & HOOPER.

Your Opportunity.

We have some desirable property for sale on Minnesota Point. It will pay to investigate this at once. MENDELHALL & HOOPER.

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West Duluth Land Co.'s Lots.

Block on Fourth Avenue. A choice lot on Central Avenue. A large lot on Fifth Avenue. A large lot on Sixth Avenue. A large lot on Seventh Avenue. A large lot on Eighth Avenue. A large lot on Ninth Avenue. A large lot on Tenth Avenue. A large lot on Eleventh Avenue. A large lot on Twelfth Avenue. A large lot on Thirteenth Avenue. A large lot on Fourteenth Avenue. A large lot on Fifteenth Avenue. A large lot on Sixteenth Avenue. A large lot on Seventeenth Avenue. A large lot on Eighteenth Avenue. A large lot on Nineteenth Avenue. A large lot on Twentieth Avenue. A large lot on Twenty-first Avenue. A large lot on Twenty-second Avenue. A large lot on Twenty-third Avenue. A large lot on Twenty-fourth Avenue. A large lot on Twenty-fifth Avenue. A large lot on Twenty-sixth Avenue. A large lot on Twenty-seventh Avenue. A large lot on Twenty-eighth Avenue. A large lot on Twenty-ninth Avenue. A large lot on Thirtieth Avenue. A large lot on Thirty-first Avenue. A large lot on Thirty-second Avenue. A large lot on Thirty-third Avenue. A large lot on Thirty-fourth Avenue. A large lot on Thirty-fifth Avenue. A large lot on Thirty-sixth Avenue. A large lot on Thirty-seventh Avenue. A large lot on Thirty-eighth Avenue. A large lot on Thirty-ninth Avenue. A large lot on Fortieth Avenue. A large lot on Forty-first Avenue



## EVENING HERALD.

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MILIE BUNNELL, Manager.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF DULUTH.

If all the manufacturing industries come to Duluth this year that are "already assured" the city will experience such a boom as it has never had before.

The Republicans of Brainerd will hold a city convention and party line will be drawn in the coming municipal election. Heretofore Brainerd elections have been conducted on the Duluth plan.

Quite a number of prospectors visited Heminthwaite yesterday to see the silver mine of which such a glowing account appeared in yesterday's News. The trouble with the mine is that it has been entirely worked out. Duluth prospectors exhausted it before the News was born.

It is announced that during the recent eclipse of the sun, some of the observers on the Pacific coast clearly observed an interplanetary planet. That a planet exists between Mercury and the sun has long been suspected by astronomers and one or more in the last half century have claimed to have seen it. The new announcement revives interest in the subject among astronomers, and curiosity is aroused as to whether the black spot which is regularly observed to cross the disc of the sun is not this interplanetary planet, which, in the supposition of its existence, has been called Vulcan.

Failure of the jute-bagging manufacturers to establish their "trust" on an enduring foundation is explained by the facts that a full million dollars has been invested in a plant for the production of cotton bagging at New Orleans and a syndicate with several more millions is making preparations to turn out pine fibre bagging on an almost unlimited scale at Wilmington, N. C. Cotton in bales covered by each of these fabrics has been declared good delivery, and the jute-bagging people may discover in the end that their attempt to create monopoly has deprived them of the advantages they formerly enjoyed.

The London Spectator says there are only two things open to the De Lesseps canal scheme. One is flat failure, or a sale to the Americans. But the latter alternative presupposes that the Americans would buy, whereas, the fact is that no responsible association of Americans would accept the work already done as a gift, with the obligation to finish it. As a lack of ship canal the Nicaragua route is much to be preferred. And as a sea-level canal the Panama enterprise, if ever completed, will have to be done by an international agreement of the principal commercial nations, which shall guarantee its neutrality and furnish the means from the national treasuries.

The time for the first ballot for United States senators has nearly arrived, and there is a great deal of talk about a caucus. It may be depended upon as a fact that no caucus will decide the senatorial fight this year. All of the candidates are afraid to take chances on a caucus and the fight will be carried directly into the legislature and one day's balloting will not settle it either. Senator Sablin may not be his own successor, but it is now reasonably certain that Gen. Washburn's hopes have been shattered. In fact a meeting of his friends was held only a day or two ago to discuss the feasibility of withdrawing him altogether and substituting some other Minneapolis man, and it was only by the decided action taken by one or two of his friends that this was not done. He will remain in the field until after the election, but his friends will endeavor to unite upon some other man to defeat Sablin.

This country leads the world in the matter of inventions, and with proper attention and encouragement in the line of destructive engines of war we can as easily distance other nations as we have in more useful and productive machinery. The Veasvins lately launched, from all accounts, with its dynamite shells, is going to revolutionize naval warfare as much as did our monitor. One shell of the largest size would sink a whole fleet of iron clads and we see no reason why a sailing vessel might not carry a balloon to the vicinity of the English coast, launch it in space when the wind was favorable to sail it over such a city as London and by dropping such bombs destroy the whole city, blow up the house of parliament and kill every body in the building and vicinity. Great armies are no longer necessary and great fortifications are still more needless. Huge and costly ships of war are only living tombs before such destructive agents as these nitro gelatine bombs. If the game is to kill and destroy, then the more killing and destruction that can be wrought with least expense and exposure the better. Personal bravery counts for nothing any more. It only leads to more destruction. It is going to come down to a contest of inventive skill, and we need not fear the combined world, with proper attention to the subject.

For Rent.

For rent 8 room house corner Fourth avenue east and First street. Lease to buy the carpets, window draperies and stove now in the house. Possession given from first to middle of January. G. G. Hentley, room 202 Duluth Union National building.

Pozzoni's Complexion Powder is universally known and everywhere esteemed as the only powder that will improve the complexion, eradicate tan, freckles and all skin diseases.

No property in the West End lays so well as no convenient, or can be bought on easy terms, as lots in West End addition. Hiram Knox, Dr. & Co. Exclusive agents.

## STRONG COMPANY FORMED.

And Steel Ships of the "101" Type Will be Turned Out by the Mile.

Capt. McDougall Interests Leading New York Capitalists in His Patented Vessel.

For some months Capt. McDougall has been busy at work interesting capital in his steel barge patents. He has finally succeeded, and the American Steel Barge company has been formed in New York with a capital stock of \$500,000, and with the following named men among its incorporators. Alexander McDougall, Colgate Hoyt, a leading capitalist of New York; J. L. Colby, president of the Wisconsin Central; Chas. C. Colby, his brother, and agent of leading trust companies in New York; Rufus F. Green, Charles W. Wiffenbach, and Robert L. Murray, all prominent, noted men of the east. The stock is divided into 5,000 shares at \$100 per share. Capt. McDougall has always believed in the ultimate success of his style of steel barge, and the experience of the 101, built last year, appears to have fully borne out his expectations and predictions. Now he has enlisted a large amount of capital and the building of the clear channel vessels will be carried on rapidly and in a manner economical and thorough. A large ship will be the first work of the company, and of this Capt. McDougall's present yard here will form a nucleus. It is most earnestly hoped that the new company have decided and will make prompt the point of construction and port of call for all its fleet.

## BOARD OF TRADE.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMERCE—AN OPPOSITION TICKET LIES BY.

At tomorrow's election of the board of trade there is liable to be more fun than at any previous election for several years. Heretofore the caucus nominations have been the only ticket voted on election day, but tomorrow, if present indications go to show anything, an opposition ticket will be in the field. At the caucus the following nominations were made: A. D. Thompson, president; John M. Albert, vice president; W. Van Brunt, Frederic Paine and John A. Dever directors for three years; Ward Ames, director for one year to fill vacancy; M. J. Forbes, F. S. Daggett and J. H. Smith, arbitration committee; F. A. Gooding, C. H. Green, J. H. Fergusson, appeal committee; Geo. Ripley, George G. Barnum, Geo. Spencer, A. Bailey and T. A. Olmsted, inspection committee. The opposition ticket will, it is stated, be put up by George Spencer for president. On account of this prospect, there will undoubtedly be a full membership present at election, and a larger vote will probably be cast than for some time.

This morning there were still fifteen memberships on which last year's dues were unpaid and unless these have been settled by tomorrow they will be sold at auction. The sale of so many will tend to reduce values and it is probable that when the owners fully realize that they will pay up on them.

INTERESTING TO MARINERS.

The new steamer Kewatin, being built at Owen Sound for the Canadian Pacific railway, will be ready for the coming season's work between Owen Sound, Sault Ste. Marie and Port Arthur. One great improvement over the other line is that the railway boats will be that the bureau's deck will be fitted as a promenade. She will be commanded by Captain Anderson, who has been in charge of the Alberta. The Alberta will be commanded for the season by Captain James McAllister.

The Sault and straits are still open as in mid-summer and sail boats are navigating with safety as they would in July. A race was sailed there last week.

The Lake Erie Boiler works of Buffalo built 45 steel marine boilers last year, of which 34 were Scotch pattern. The sizes varied from 11 to 18 feet long.

The schooner H. M. Scoville has been sold to Capt. Nelson and Orlin, Darvel & Co., of Milwaukee for \$4,000. She was built in 1873. The new propeller W. B. Morley, which is wintering in Buffalo, has been sold by her owner whose name she bears, to Corrigan & Huntington, of Cleveland, for \$140,000. The Kittle M. Grubbs has been sold for \$70,000. These transactions are of great significance, as showing the estimates vessels are placing on the next season. The Scoville brought just for insurance valuation, being old and of small size, but the Wilson is valued at only \$25,000 and the Morley at 125,000. Only \$15,000 and the Morley at 125,000. The estimated value, while vessels are being sold away below this valuation. It would be observed in this connection that rescinders were entirely motionless last winter as to the business to be done in 1889, and it is quite possible that they are just far wide of the mark on the other side. Still it doesn't look so.

Captain James Davidson is building at Bay City a steamer 200 feet long for Eastman and Wilhelm of East Saginaw.

The American steel barge company has filed a certificate of incorporation at Cleveland. The capital stock of the company is \$500,000 divided into 5,000 shares of \$100 each. The trustees for the first year are Colgate Hoyt, Charles C. Colby, Joseph L. Colby, Charles W. Wiffenbach, Robert L. Murray, and Pickney F. Green.

The Corrigan Brothers, Cleveland, have closed with W. B. Morley for the Louisiana, and a new boat on the stocks at Marine City, larger than the Morley, the two for \$240,000. Morley takes the steamer Raleigh as part pay.

Three-sights of the steamer Fred Kelly and consort M. R. Warner have been bought by M. A. Bradley and Chris Grover of Captain Johnson, of Cleveland.

Captain Van Camp has purchased of the Canadian government the wreck of the schooner Ottawa, thirty-one years ago, and left in Sarnia Bay. The vessel has been raised, and is now hauled out at Port Huron for reconstruction. She is a small craft.

A Political Failure.

Lewisohn Journal. Wilbur F. Lunt, the Portland attorney, who is removing to the wilds of Arizona, has the reputation of being one of the foremost members of the Galt-There club in politics.

"He said to me one day," said the lawyer, "that for wheeling men into and making them vote right there nothing like promise. 'Promise them some kind of a place,' said he, 'and you're sure of them.'"

"But suppose there are not places enough to go round after the campaign's over?"

"Oh, well," said he, "you can go into insolvency then."

Ladies who value a refined complexion must use Pozzoni's Powder—it produces a soft and beautiful skin.

Myers & Whipple.

West Duluth property.

Chas. T. Abbott.

Change of Time.

Commencing Sunday, December 9th, trains on the "Northwestern Line," Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad will leave Duluth daily at 10:30 a. m. Geo. M. Smith, General Agent.

## JUST FROM SCHOOL.

CHAT WITH A BOY WHO IS STARTING OUT IN LIFE.

The Hard Pan of the Matter—Junior Clerk in a Big Office—The Bookkeeper's Balance Sheet of Advantages and Disadvantages.

Here you are, 16 years old, just from school, and ready to start out for yourself. Have you ever got down to hard pan? What are you going to do next? Going into business? What comes first? The hard pan of the matter is just here—what can you do?

Read, write, and do short sums. Reading! No money in that unless you mean to be a public reader, and that means a beautiful voice and years of training and study. Writing! Because they are the hard pan of every art, trade, business and profession, and while they will not bring wages, you cannot get good wages without them.

Every business man has some one to "keep the books." There is something for you. Become a clerk. You see out to get a place, and at once find that while hundreds want clerks, there are thousands who are not able to do that. There isn't a cent in such things. Then what was the use of learning these things? Because they are the hard pan of every art, trade, business and profession, and while they will not bring wages, you cannot get good wages without them.

At last you get a place—junior clerk in a big office with a dozen clerks above you, and half of them girls. The chief clerk gets a hundred a month, the others very much less, and you—well, it doesn't pay quite as your chances of being a bookkeeper or a clerk, you mean to try it. Besides, you don't know how to lay bricks, and as for driving nails, you always hit your thumb. Pretty soon you find all the clerks, both men and women, are on the lookout for something better. The men want to go into the business, and the women—well, they hope to go home some day and never come back. Some of them, both men and women, hope to become cashiers or bank bookkeepers or accountants, because, as they tell you, the higher the work the bigger the wages.

So the hard pan of the business is that to earn good wages as a clerk, you must be able to do more than read, write and cipher pretty well, or as well as you do. You must go to work and learn to do more than that. It is doubtful if you can do this without two years' hard work in a school or an office.

Very hard pan. Just so, but here is the bottom fact. To earn good wages, you must be able to do something well. Thousands can do as well as you can when you come out of school. The slow, stupid, the lazy and the careless will underbid you, will work for less money, and unless you can do better, your chances of being a clerk are very small indeed. As for making a fortune—well, it isn't there. Suppose you do learn the art, and become a first-rate bookkeeper and accountant, what are the bottom facts of the business? Under the term bookkeeper, there are hundreds of thousands of people employed in connection with stores, offices, banks, steamship and railroad offices, telegraph offices, manufacturing companies and shops of all kinds. Now is this the best thing for you to be doing? You can do? Let us figure it up, and strike a balance sheet of advantages and disadvantages.

First of all, health, as that is the most valuable thing in the world. The work is done indoors, in close and often dark rooms, often in the midst of noise, hurry and confusion. Decidedly, it is not a healthy trade, though often live to be gray old clerks. Second, chances. Does it give chances to rise? Yes. It gives chances for a smart young fellow like you to look ahead and pick up a position, and learn some other business or profession. This is the chief value of a clerkship. It leads to something else. It is true, on the other hand, that these chances are very small, less than thirty years ago, because business of all kinds now requires so much capital. A bookkeeper in a bank or railroad office can hardly expect to start a bank or set up his own little railroad. Thirdly, it is a business you want to follow all your life? Will you be content always to be a clerk, and nothing but a clerk? Plenty of people, both men and women, never expect to be anything else, and lead quiet, sensible, safe, and often very happy lives, saving money and earning the respect of all who know them.

Strike your own trial balance. There is the hard pan of the matter. What do you think? Is it a good thing for you—the best thing you can do? Nothing like having a straight up and down talk with yourself about the real bottom facts of the case.

Would you like it? That's the point. Now are you fat on hard pan, or would you like it? What a man likes he does well; what he does well brings good wages. A man's work for his life. It is not for this month or next year. You are not working for next Saturday's pay. You are working for the wages you will get when you are forty years old. If you like accounts, if the work is interesting, if you mean to rise to be a cashier, or chief bookkeeper in some great business, or to become a bank or railroad officer, prepare to rise, for you must rise if you do these things. Go into the business as a life work. Climb on the clerk's stool, resolved to stay there.

But if you dislike to go to the desk in the morning, and are glad to close the big ledger at night, consider well these things. You will wear neat clothes, have white weak hands and pale, thin blood, good pay and a nice home, and with a frugal wife may lay up a little money, join a building association, and some day own a little home of your own—and you will have it all your life long. Better climb down from that stool, and dig about among the real facts of this world till you come to the hard pan of your life—Charles Bernard in Once a Week.

PRICELESS AND PEELESS.

Something About Violins—Famous Instruments and Cheap Fiddles.

"Anything new in the way of discoveries?" inquired the amateur.

"Nothing. You know that Giotto, Veronese, Raphael, Titian, da Vinci are always to be found at New York auction rooms, and in similarly convenient places all over the world by all the illustrious makers are to be found. The pavirocker myth, of the priceless, peerless instrument, hidden away, long included, bought for that price, and worth thousands still embellishes the pages of the newspapers with the name of the clever man who secured it. I have made many millions of dollars in strange places all over New York, to garrets, to lager beer cellars, to drawing rooms, and have made millions of dollars, by selling them, professional or otherwise, by telling them that their violins were not as respected. Mine has been a thankless task, for once a man is crazy over the merits of a violin, he is like Bottom in the play. It is a hallucination which no amount of argument will overcome. I don't argue. What is the use?"

"But some of these violins were good?"

"Certainly. I have heard some instruments giving out tones which delighted me just as good as those made by the early makers—only they were not Cremonese or Tyrolean. If these violins were so capable of producing the sound as those made by the old masters what then? That is what the public asks you an answer you can understand. Well, a Harper's last publication is more legible than the first work issued by a Gaxton, and a Harper's book may be worth \$3 and a Gaxton \$200. Men search for the earliest types of things because they are sometimes rare, but not necessarily beautiful. A violin that has lived 300 years and escaped all accidents becomes a remarkable thing. Think of floods, fires, and that

trail thing, a box of thin wood! The probabilities of chances still hold their sway. A violin has lived on for three centuries through miraculous intervention, but its time has come. The owner of the violin, with his instrument, is in the cars. There is a smash up. It is only the baggage car, but a Magli has been ground into the month. I could cry over it," and here the expert did some dramatics.

"And what is it?" asked the amateur.

"News that two of the most famous violins in the world, through carelessness or ignorance or accident, have gone to ruin. Poor, poor things!"

"Is it annihilation?" inquired the amateur.

"No, they were saved! Just at the last moment, when dissolution was near. There was a flicker of life left in them. There are hopes of restoration. It will be a long, an arduous undertaking. They are now sent to the United States, sent from abroad, and in the hands of the most skillful man in the world. Their decayed out and mangled bodies he will restore. He will attempt a resurrection. These two violins were of the close of the sixteenth century, and of a Parisian maker.—New York Times.

Mrs. Shaw, the Whistler.

In conversation with a friend of Mrs. Shaw the other evening, I learned that an observation of the lady's piano disclosed a long, narrow, slender waist, developing into a bust, chest and shoulders of charming symmetry affords exceptional capacity for sustained and easy playing. She has taken them on her finger and the trick of sound and reads readily at sight and finds that what is once learned she never forgets.

The experienced artist that difficulty so troublesome to the player upon brass instruments—the flabby embouchure. Her chest thrusts forward and her head is bowed, and she has become wonderfully developed, and is unusually firm to the touch. She cannot do the open empty stoned, nor bear the strain of the instrument, the way she sits with out a corset she could not whistle at all. Her throat must be loosely dressed, and she finds considerable increase in the fullness of neck. One advantage Mrs. Shaw shares with no whistler, amateur or professional, is that of "constitution as of 'grasping the notes' when she takes them on her finger. She has fresh cool air to do her best, and only because she is in close heated rooms.—Philadelphia Press.

Why Organs Are Discarded.

A well-known organist in Brooklyn says that he is sometimes blamed for using bad combinations when the fault lies wholly in the atmosphere. Organ pipes are affected by cold and heat, and this organist says that he has known the pitch of a certain stop to alter for a change of temperature as low as a few degrees. He says, "On Saturday night or often on Sunday morning when I rehearse I am at the instrument in perfect tune, but as soon as the furnace are started up and the big audience assemble the thermometer rises and the pitch of some of my pipes rises with it. Commonly the organist is not aware of this, and as the reeds seldom change he pitches them a trifle high in order to allow for the change of temperature of the other stops; but how if the temperature is low and the other stops don't change? Then, you see, you've got a discord and you have to shut off the reeds altogether."

"Damperless and other changes affect organs, too, and it is distressing when you are playing smoothly to have one of the notes 'dip' or 'rise' out of tune. It is a round turn and you have to stop and disengage the obsolete key, organ playing is not all play. I've seen Dudley Buck, while directed a performance in Steinway hall, within when the organ struck in and signal to the organist to stop, for the heat created by the audience and the bright heat thrown upon the pipe work entirely off, and the result was a horrible discord.—Brooklyn Eagle.

A Well Known Author's Success.

The success of a well known author is attributed to the fact that he has read the book that the hero is but a slight idealization of himself, the heroine such as every girl expects or believes herself to be. What is the secret of the success of a writer of romances upon which all true literary success depends?—Chicago Herald.

Gen. Sheridan's Trip to Europe.

Before I left Chicago the newspapers were filled with rumors of the impending war between Germany and France. I was anxious to observe the conflict, if it was to occur, but reports made one day concerning the beginning of hostilities would be contradicted the next, and it was not till I reached Helena that the dispatches told their doubtful character. I had later heard of a positive nature as to make it certain that the two nations would fight. I therefore decided to wait for my own trip, so that I could be abroad to witness the war, if the president would approve. Having received word from Gen. Sherman that there would be no objection to my going to Europe, I began making arrangements to leave, securing passage by the steamship Sicot.

President Grant invited me to come to see him at Long Branch before I should sail, and during my brief visit there he asked me to accompany him to the depot of the German or French. I told him that I was a man, for the reason that I thought more could be seen with the successful side, and that the indications pointed to the defeat of the French. My choice evidently pleased him greatly, as he had the utmost contempt for Louis Napoleon and had always denounced him as a usurper and a charlatan.—Gen. Philip H. Sheridan in Scribner's Magazine.

Roman Remains in England.

The removal of an accumulation of soil during the building operations at Mr. Alfred Shuttleworth's mansion, in Eastgate, Lincoln, brought to light a very considerable and important fragment of the eastern wall of the Roman city. This fragment consists of a large quadrangular block of solid masonry, with dressed facing, projecting inward from the wall. It is probably the base of a quadrangular tower strengthening the wall midway between the northeast angle and the east gateway. Although large portions of the Roman wall exist in other parts of the circuit, this is the only place in which the face of the masonry has been found remaining.—London Times.

Drakemans's Slaps.

The brakeman gives the sprawling true to the "society" of dispatchers' lobbies and other lounging places which he frequents. He originates whatever slang may be deemed necessary to give spice to the talk of the cabmen and roundabouts. He calls a gravel train a "dust express," and refers to the pump for compressing air for the power brakes as a "wind jammer." The fireman's prole labors are lightened by being pointedly mentioned as the handling of black and white, and the mortification of being called into the superintendent's office to explain some dereliction or duty is disguised by referring to the episode as "dancing on the carpet."—B. Adams, Jr., in Scribner's.

Another Cause.

Jones—So you've bought a type writer? Smith—Yes.

J—Have you learned how to use it? S—Yes, and it is splendid.

J—Then you have ceased to use the pen? S—Yes. I'm wedded to my type writer.—Boston Courier.

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